

Tuesday, May 3, 1983

## Senate

## Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages 10676-10747*

**Measures Introduced:** Five bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1193-1197 and S.J. Res. 91-92. Page 10716

**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 106, to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the United States Product Safety Commission by designating the week of May 8, 1983 through May 14, 1983, as "National Product Safety Week."

S.J. Res. 66, to authorize and request the President to designate May 6, 1983, as "National Nurse Recognition Day."

S.J. Res. 67, to designate the week of September 25, 1983 through October 1, 1983, as "National Respiratory Therapy Week."

S.J. Res. 68, authorizing and requesting the President to designate July 16, 1983, as "National Atomic Veterans' Day."

S.J. Res. 83, to recognize Senior Center Week during Senior Citizen Month as proclaimed by the President.

S. Con. Res. 14, in commemoration of the bicentennial of the birth of Simon Bolivar, hero of the independence of the Americas. Page 10716

**First Budget Resolution for 1984:** Senate continued consideration of S. Con. Res. 27, revising and replacing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1983, and setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1984, 1985, and 1986, with the following amendments proposed thereto: Page 10688

Pending:

(1) Hatch Amendment No. 1227, in the nature of a substitute. Page 10689

(2) Specter Amendment No. 1228, to add additional funds for law enforcement and the construction of prisons. Page 10712

Senate will continue consideration of the concurrent resolution and amendments proposed thereto on Wednesday, May 4.

**Messages From the President:** Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting agreement extending the governing international fishery agreement between the United States and Poland, signed at Washington on August 2, 1976, until July 1, 1984. Referred (pursuant to Public Law 94-265), jointly, to the Committee

on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-46)

(2) Transmitting agreement extending the governing international fishery agreement between the United States and the Soviet Union, signed at Washington on November 26, 1976, until July 1, 1984. Referred (pursuant to Public Law 94-265), jointly, to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-47) Page 10716

**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Harry O'Connor, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

Donald M. Muchmore, of California, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board.

Charles R. Ritcheson, of California, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities.

Helene A. von Damm, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Austria.

James H. Burnley IV, of North Carolina, to be General Counsel of the Department of Transportation.

Edward S. G. Dennis, Jr., to be U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of Admiral. Page 10747

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**Recess:** Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 6:27 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, May 4, 1983. (For Senate's program, see remarks of Senator Baker in today's Record on page 10747.)

## Committee Meetings

## MX MISSILE FUNDING

**Committee on Appropriations:** Committee began hearings on S. Con. Res. 26, approving the obligation and expenditure of funds for MX missile procurement and full-scale engineering development of a basing mode, receiving testimony from McGeorge Bundy, New York University, New York City, former Special Assistant to Presidents Kennedy and Johnson; and Admiral Stansfield Turner, USN

(Ret.), former Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/EDUCATION

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies continued hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1984 for those programs which fall within the jurisdiction of the subcommittee, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 10.

#### AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces continued open and closed hearings on S. 675, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1984 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the MX missile, receiving testimony from Richard D. DeLauer, Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering; Lt. General Lawrence A. Skantze, Deputy Chief of Air Force Staff for Research, Development, and Acquisition; and Brig. Gen. John Shaud, Deputy Director, Air Force Plans and Operations.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

#### FINANCIAL SERVICES

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee resumed oversight hearings to review developments in markets for banking and other financial services, focusing on the regulation and supervision of the banking industry, receiving testimony from William H. Kennedy, Jr., National Bank of Commerce, Pine Bluff, Arkansas, on behalf of the American Bankers Association; James Herrington, Coldwater National Bank, Coldwater, Kansas, and Robert L. McCormick, Stillwater National Bank and Trust Company, Stillwater, Oklahoma, both on behalf of the Independent Bankers Association of America; H. Furlong Baldwin, Mercantile Bankshares Corp., Baltimore, Maryland, representing the Association of Bank Holding Companies; Frederick S. Hammer, Chase Manhattan Bank, N.A., New York City, representing the Consumer Bankers Association; and Richard P. Patterson, InterFirst Bank, Dallas, Texas, representing the Dealer Bank Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development concluded oversight hearings on the President's budget request for fiscal year 1984 for the Department of Energy's research and development programs, focus-

ing on fossil, nuclear (other than breeder), and conservation and renewable energy programs, after receiving testimony from Richard L. Grant, Boeing Engineering and Construction Southeast, Inc., Oak Ridge, Tennessee; D. L. Broussard, Arizona Public Service Company, Phoenix, representing the Gas-Cooled Reactor Associates; R. B. Richards, General Electric Company, Sunnyvale, California; J. L. Shohet, University of Wisconsin, Madison; Bruce Stroh, American Gas Association, Rosslyn, Virginia; Sidney H. Law, Northeast Utilities, Hartford, Connecticut, on behalf of the Electric Utility Industry, Inc.; Vincent J. Coates, Jr., Avco Everett Research Laboratory, Everett, Massachusetts, on behalf of the MHD Industrial Forum; John Shupe, Hawaii Natural Energy Institute, University of Hawaii, Honolulu; John Casazza, Ransom & Casazza, Washington, D.C., on behalf of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc.; Harold M. Agnew, GA Technologies, Inc., David O. Webb, Gas Research Institute, Bernard S. Lee, Institute of Gas Technology, Carl Bagge, National Coal Association, Grant Thompson, on behalf of Energy Conservation Coalition, and Harold Seielstad, Solar Energy Industries Association, all of Washington, D.C.; Bruce Goldwater, Mechanical Technology, Inc., Latham, New York; and Alvin Hildebrandt, University of Houston, Houston, Texas, representing the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges.

#### NOMINATION

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Committee began hearings on the nomination of William D. Ruckelshaus, of Washington, to be Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, receiving testimony from Jay D. Hair, on behalf of the National Wildlife Federation, John McComb, on behalf of the Sierra Club, William Butler, representing the National Audubon Society, Sidney M. Wolf, representing Environmental Action, and Richard E. Ayres, on behalf of the Natural Resources Defense Council, Inc., all of Washington, D.C.; Marilyn Stanton, Spokane County Air Pollution Authority, Spokane, Washington; Irwin W. Tucker, National Council for Environmental Balance, Louisville, Kentucky; Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr. and Susan Kokinda, both of the National Democratic Policy Committee, New York City; and Michael Bennett, Boston, Massachusetts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### NOMINATION

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Richard S. William-



son, of Virginia, to be the Representative of the United States of America to the Vienna Office of the United Nations, and Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the International Atomic Energy Agency, with the rank of Ambassador, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

### NAVY SHIPYARD CONTRACT IRREGULARITIES

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held oversight hearings on alleged fraud, waste and abuse in the procurement of Navy ships, focusing on contract irregularities for ship construction and overhaul, receiving testimony from Rodney Smith and David Glendinning, both Staff Counsels, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations; Terrence Brunner, Better Government Association, Washington, D.C.; Fred O'Green, CEO, Litton Industries, Beverly Hills, California; Leonard Erb, Ingalls Shipbuilding, Sharon Sigalas, and Edwin R. Fite, all of Pascagoula, Mississippi.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. Res. 106, to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the United States Product Safety Commission by designating the week of May 8, 1983, through May 14, 1983, as "National Product Safety Week";

S. Con. Res. 14, to commemorate the bicentennial of the birth of Simon Bolivar, hero of the independence of the Americas;

S.J. Res. 66, to authorize and request the President to designate May 6, 1983, as "National Nurse Recognition Day";

S.J. Res. 67, to designate the week of September 25, 1983, through October 1, 1983, as "National Respiratory Therapy Week";

S.J. Res. 68, to authorize and request the President to designate July 16, 1983, as "National Atomic Veterans' Day";

S.J. Res. 83, to recognize Senior Center Week during Senior Citizen Month as proclaimed by the President; and

The nominations of Joel M. Flaum, of Illinois, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Seventh Circuit; Ricardo H. Hinojosa, to be U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of Texas; Alfred S. Regnery, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention; and Rudolph W. Giuliani, to be U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of New York.

### HEALTH CARE FOR DISPLACED WORKERS

*Committee on Labor and Human Resources:* Subcommittee on Employment and Productivity held hearings on S. 811, to provide block grants to States for the purpose of providing health insurance or health care benefits to unemployed workers, receiving testimony from Senator Specter; James H. Sammons, American Medical Association, Richard L. Epstein, American Hospital Association, and Maribeth Badura, American Nurses Association, all of Chicago, Illinois; Lewis Cooper, American Academy of Pediatrics, Ronald G. Blankenbaker, representing the Indiana State Board of Health, Indianapolis; Stuart Shapiro, Pennsylvania Commissioner of Health, Philadelphia, representing the Conference of City Health Officials; Donald T. Bliss, O'Melveny & Myers, Washington, D.C., on behalf of the National Association of Manufacturers; Willis Goldbeck, Washington Business Group on Health, Jan Peter Ozga, on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, Bert Seidman, on behalf of the AFL-CIO, and Mary Nell Lehnhard, representing Blue Cross and Blue Shield, all of Washington, D.C.; John F. Troy, Traveler's Insurance Company, Hartford, Connecticut, on behalf of the Health Insurance Association of America; John McCormack, Baltimore, Maryland; Anna Sloan, Turners Falls, Massachusetts; Nichlos Contos, Flint, Michigan; and James and Laura Johnson, Springfield, Ohio.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 9.

### AUTHORIZATIONS—INTELLIGENCE

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill (S. 1230) authorizing funds for fiscal year 1984 for the intelligence community.

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## House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 21 public bills, H.R. 2861-2881; 2 private bills, H.R. 2882 and 2883; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 256-259, H. Con. Res. 121, and H. Res. 179-181 were introduced.

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**Bills Reported:** Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 179, providing additional procedures during the consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 13) calling for a mutual and verifiable freeze on and reductions in nuclear weapons (H. Rept. 98-78);

H.R. 1381, to amend the Ocean Thermal Energy Conversion Act of 1980 to provide for additional authorizations, amended (H. Rept. 98-79);

H.R. 1398, to promote energy conservation by providing for daylight saving time on an expanded basis, amended (H. Rept. 98-80); and

H.R. 2587, to authorize appropriations to the Department of Energy for civilian research and development programs for the fiscal year 1984, amended (H. Rept. 98-81). Page 10818

**Private Calendar:** On the call of the Private Calendar, the House passed the following bills:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 723, H.R. 726, H.R. 730, H.R. 745, and H.R. 1750.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 732. Page 10749

**Consent Calendar:** On the call of the Consent Calendar, the House passed and sent to the Senate without amendment the following bills:

**NOAA claims:** H.R. 594, to amend section 1 of the Act of June 5, 1920, as amended, to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to settle claims for damages of less than \$2,500 arising by reason of acts for which the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration is responsible;

**Miller Act bonds:** H.R. 596, to transfer responsibility for furnishing certified copies of Miller Act payment bonds from the Comptroller General to the officer that awarded the contract for which the bond was given; and

**Marine Corps Commandant:** H.R. 1692, to amend section 171 of title 10, United States Code, to provide that the Commandant of the Marine Corps shall be a member of the Armed Forces Policy Council. Page 10749

**Committees To Sit:** Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule today and on Wednesday, May 4 and Thursday, May 5; and

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule. Page 10741

**Presidential Message—U.S.-G.D.R. Fishery Agreement:** Read a message from the President wherein he transmits a governing international fishery agreement between the United States and the German Democratic Republic—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed (H. Doc. 98-57). Page 10754

**Suspensions:** House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

**Income capital certificates:** S. 1011, to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to provide for the issuance of income capital certificates—clearing the measure for the President; and Page 10754

**World Cup:** H.J. Res. 219, amended, declaring the support of the United States Government for efforts of the United States Soccer Federation to bring the World Cup to the United States in 1986, and designating the Secretary of Commerce as the official

representative of the United States Government to the Federation Internationale de Football Association. Page 10763

**Tribally Controlled Colleges:** By a yeas-and-nays vote of 255 yeas to 148 nays, Roll No. 75 (two-thirds of those present not voting in favor), the House failed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 2307, amended, to amend the Tribally Controlled Community College Assistance Act of 1978. Page 10757

**Emergency Agricultural Credit Act:** By a yeas-and-nays vote of 378 yeas to 35 nays, Roll No. 79, the House passed H.R. 1190, to provide emergency credit assistance to farmers.

Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Agreed to:

An amendment that targets financial assistance to rural areas with low community median income, high unemployment and underemployment, and sudden economic dislocation;

An amendment that establishes that the interest rate on water and sewer loans be the lower of the rate in effect at the time of approval or at the time of closing (agreed to by a recorded vote of 399 yeas to 1 no, Roll No. 76);

An amendment that permits the Secretary to make grants to nonprofit institutions to establish and operate centers for rural technology development (agreed to by a recorded vote of 383 yeas to 8 noes, Roll No. 77, which was subsequently vacated, and the amendment was then agreed to by a recorded vote of 398 yeas to 3 noes, Roll No. 78);

An amendment that earmarks through fiscal year 1984 at least 10 percent of business and industrial loan programs to rural small businesses which have suffered severe economic hardship as a result of the payment-in-kind program;

An amendment that strikes language increasing operating loan limits;

An amendment that clarifies the Secretary's discretion in determining eligibility for emergency loans for losses suffered by an individual loan applicant;

An amendment that clarifies that interest will accrue during periods of loan deferrals;

An amendment that establishes that requests for loan deferrals must be justified to the Secretary, requires the borrower to meet periodically with the Secretary, and permits the Secretary to determine when the borrower should resume making loan payments;

An amendment that establishes that the interest rate on loans for essential community facilities be the lower of the rate in effect at the time of loan approval or at the time of loan closing; and



An amendment that reduces the 1983 authorization for economic emergency loans to \$300 million and stipulates that at least \$150 million in 1983 and at least \$300 million in 1984 be for insured loans.

The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation marks, cross references and certain section headings in the engrossment of the bill.

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**Subcommittee To Sit:** Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade of the Committee on Foreign Affairs received permission to sit during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule on Wednesday, May 4.

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**Presidential Messages:** Received and read the following messages from the President:

*U.S.-Soviet Union fishery agreement:* Message transmitting an exchange of Diplomatic Notes, together with the present agreement, extending the governing international fishery agreement between the United States and the Soviet Union—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed (H. Doc. 98-59); and

*U.S.-Poland fishery agreement:* Message transmitting an exchange of Diplomatic Notes, together with the present agreement, extending the governing international fishery agreement between the United States and Poland—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed (H. Doc. 98-60).

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea-and-nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 10766, 10769, 10772, 10773, 10786. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** Met at noon and adjourned at 6:34 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### FIFRA AUTHORIZATION; CRITICAL AGRICULTURAL MATERIALS ACT; WATERSHED PROJECTS

*Committee on Agriculture:* Ordered reported as amended the following bills: H.R. 2785, to amend the provisions of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act relating to the scientific advisory panel and to extend the authorization for appropriations for such act; H.R. 2733, to extend and improve the existing program of research, development, and demonstration in the production and manufacture of guayule rubber, and to broaden such program to include other critical agricultural materials.

The Committee also approved the following watershed projects: Elm Creek Watershed, Runnels and Taylor Counties, Texas and East Carroll Watershed, East Carroll and Madison Parishes, Louisiana.

## DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on the MX Missile. Testimony was heard from Brent Scowcroft, Chairman, President's Commission on Strategic Forces and Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Defense.

## FOREIGN OPERATIONS APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held a hearing on International Narcotics and on Refugee and Migration Assistance. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Dominick L. DiCarlo, Assistant Secretary of State for International Narcotics Control and James Purcell, Director, Bureau of Refugee Programs.

## INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on National Endowment for the Humanities. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

## INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Interior approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1983 Supplemental.

## LABOR, HHS AND EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, HHS and Education met in executive session and approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1983 Supplemental.

## TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE, GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, General Government approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1983 Supplemental.

## MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Armed Services:* Ordered reported H.R. 2797, amended, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Energy for national security programs for fiscal year 1984.

The Committee agreed to adversely report H. Res. 159, directing the President to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives with respect to U.S. activities in Honduras and Nicaragua.

The Committee also began markup of the following bills: H.R. 1927, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Energy for national security programs for fiscal year 1983, and H.R. 2287, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1984.

Will continue tomorrow.

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE  
AUTHORIZATION**

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems met in executive session and approved for full Committee action as amended Title I, Procurement, of H.R. 2287, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1984.

**IMF QUOTA INCREASE**

*Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs;* Subcommittee on International Trade, Investment and Monetary Policy continued hearings on IMF Quota Increase. Testimony was heard from Representative Dixon and public witnesses.

**BOARD OF PAROLE DISTRICT OF  
COLUMBIA**

*Committee on the District of Columbia:* Subcommittee on Judiciary and Education held a hearing on H.R. 2319, to give the Board of Parole for the District of Columbia exclusive power and authority to release on parole, to terminate the parole of, and to modify the terms and conditions of the parole of, prisoners convicted of violating any of the District of Columbia laws, or any law of the United States applicable exclusively to the District. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Pat Taylor, Assistant Director, Department of Corrections; David Clarke, Chairman, City Council; Wilhemina Rolark, member, City Council; and Bernice Just, Chairperson, Parole Board, and public witnesses.

**EMERGENCY SCHOOL AID ACT**

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary, and Vocational Education approved for full Committee action H.R. 2207, to reenact the Emergency School Aid Act.

**OVERSIGHT**

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on Health and Safety continued oversight hearing on the Occupational Safety and Health Act with respect to staffing levels in those States that operate their own occupational safety and health programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Labor: Thorne B. Auchter, Assistant Secretary for Occupational Safety and Health and Patrick Tyson, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Occupational Safety and Health.

Hearings continue May 10.

**CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY  
AMENDMENTS; HEALTH RESEARCH  
EXTENSION ACT**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Ordered reported amended H.R. 2668, Consumer Product Safety Amendments of 1983.

The Committee began markup of H.R. 2350, Health Research Extension Act of 1983.

Will continue tomorrow.

**LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY  
ASSISTANCE AMENDMENTS**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Energy Conservation and Power approved for full Committee action H.R. 2439, Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Amendments of 1983.

**AUTHORIZATIONS—STATE  
DEPARTMENT, INFORMATION AGENCY,  
BOARD FOR INTERNATIONAL  
BROADCASTING AND INTER-AMERICAN  
FOUNDATION, INTERNATIONAL  
SECURITY AND DEVELOPMENT  
ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS AND THE PEACE  
CORPS**

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Began markup of the authorizing appropriations for fiscal years 1984 and 1985 for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, the Board for International Broadcasting, and the Inter-American Foundation, to establish the National Endowment for Democracy.

The Committee also continued markup of the authorization of appropriations for the International Security and Development Assistance Programs and the Peace Corps for fiscal years 1984 and 1985.

**ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT  
ACT AMENDMENTS**

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Subcommittee on International Security and Scientific Affairs approved for full Committee action as amended H.R. 2192, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act in order to extend the authorization for appropriations.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Kenneth L. Adelman, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

**MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; REPORTS**

*Committee on Government Operations:* Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 1314, amended, Reorganization Act Amendments of 1983; H.R. 2293, amended, Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act Amendments of 1983; H.R. 2592, to transfer from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget to the Administrator of General Services the



responsibility for publication of the catalog of Federal domestic assistance programs; H.R. 2718, amended, Paperwork Reduction Act Amendments of 1983, and H.R. 2196, to extend the authorization of appropriations of the National Historical Publications and Records Commission for 5 years.

The Committee also approved the following reports: "Administration Proposal Threatens First Amendment Rights of Government Grantees and Contractors," and "The Department of Agriculture's Payment-in-Kind Program."

#### COMMITTEE BUSINESS

*Committee on House Administration:* Subcommittee on Contracts and Printing met to consider pending business.

#### IMMIGRATION REFORM AND CONTROL ACT

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Began markup of H.R. 1510, Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1983.

Will continue tomorrow.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries:* Subcommittee on Oceanography and the Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment approved for full Committee action as amended the following bills: H.R. 1761, to reauthorize Title I of the Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act of 1972; H.R. 1547, to reauthorize Title II of the Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act of 1972; and H.R. 2676, to authorize appropriations through fiscal year 1984 for the National Aquaculture Act.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries:* Subcommittee on Oceanography approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1546, to reauthorize the National Ocean Pollution Planning Act of 1978, and H.R. 2722, to amend the National Advisory Committee on Oceans and Atmosphere Act of 1977 to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of such act for fiscal years 1984-85.

#### JOB CREATION PROPOSALS

*Committee on Public Works and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Economic Development concluded hearings on proposals to stimulate short-term job creation and long-term repair, renovation, and construction of public facilities, with emphasis on Federal Capital Budgeting. Testimony was heard from David A. Stockman, Director, Office of Management and Budget.

#### NUCLEAR FREEZE

*Committee on Rules:* Granted a rule providing further procedures during consideration of H.J. Res. 13,

calling for a mutual and verifiable freeze on and reductions in nuclear weapons; providing 14 hours total debate for further consideration of the resolution to be divided as follows and in the specified order: (1) ten hours debate for amending the Foreign Affairs Committee substitute to the resolving clause, with 30 minutes allotted to each amendment, whether or not amendment is printed in the record, equally divided between the proponent and a member opposed; (2) two hours debate for amending the preamble, with thirty minutes allotted to each amendment, equally divided between the proponent and a member opposed; and (3) two hours debate for amending the Broomfield substitute, with thirty minutes allotted to each amendment, equally divided between the proponent and a Member opposed; providing that at the termination of each of the specified debate times, the Committee of the Whole shall immediately vote on pending amendments and the substitutes; providing that the Chair may reduce the time on recorded votes to five minutes subsequent to a fifteen minute recorded vote; providing that the Chair shall not entertain pro forma amendments for the purpose of obtaining time for debate; providing that it shall not be in order to demand separate votes in the House on any other amendments adopted to the Committee substitute should a substitute to the Committee substitute be adopted.

#### NOAA AND EPA AUTHORIZATIONS

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment approved for full Committee action the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration authorization for fiscal years 1984 and 1985 and the Environmental Protection Agency authorization for fiscal year 1984.

#### SPACE COMMERCIALIZATION

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications held a hearing on the Space Commercialization. Testimony was heard from James M. Beggs, Administrator, NASA and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### SMALL BUSINESS ACT AMENDMENTS

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on SBA and SBIC Authority, Minority Enterprise and General Small Business Problems concluded hearings on Small Business Act Amendments. Testimony was heard from Representatives de la Garza, Udall, Kazen, Coleman of Texas, Ortiz, Panetta, Boxer and Gejdenson.

## AGENT ORANGE STUDIES

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the status of federally conducted Agent Orange studies. Testimony was heard from Representative Downey; Bart Kull, Special Assistant to the Deputy Under Secretary for Governmental Affairs and Special Assistant to the Chairman, Agent Orange Working Group, Department of Health and Human Services; Dr. Donald Custis, Chief Medical Director, VA; Maj. Gen. Murphy A. Chesney, Deputy Surgeon General, Department of the Air Force and public witnesses.

## RAILROAD RETIREMENT SOLVENCY ACT

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Subcommittee on Social Security and the Subcommittee on Public Assistance and Unemployment Compensation held a joint hearing on H.R. 1646, Railroad Retirement Solvency Act of 1983. Testimony was heard from Peter McGough, Associate Director, Human Resources Division, GAO; David A. Stockman, Director, Office of Management and Budget, and public witnesses.

## NICARAGUA

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Met in executive session and ordered reported as amend H.R. 2760, to amended the Intelligence Authorization Act for fiscal year 1983 to prohibit U.S. support for military or paramilitary operations in Nicaragua and to authorize assistance, to be openly provided to governments of countries in Central America, to interdict the supply of military equipment from Nicaragua and Cuba to individuals, groups, organizations, or movements seeking to overthrow governments of countries in Central America.

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Wednesday, May 4, 1983

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages 10879-11035*

**Measures Introduced:** Fourteen bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1198-1211, S.J. Res. 93, and S. Res. 130.

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**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows:

S. 549, to amend title 11, United States Code, to improve the protections for shopping centers and their tenants under the Bankruptcy Code, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 98-70)

S.J. Res. 69, to provide for the establishment of a cooperative effort between the United States Government and the United States Soccer Federation in bringing the World Cup to the United States in 1986.

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### Measures Passed:

**National Nurse Recognition Day:** Senate passed S.J. Res. 66, to authorize and request the President to designate May 6, 1983, as "National Nurse Recognition Day."

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**Senior Center Week:** Senate passed S.J. Res. 83, to recognize Senior Center Week during Senior Citizen Month, as proclaimed by the President.

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**Bicentennial of Birth of Simon Bolivar:** Senate agreed to S.Con. Res. 14, in commemoration of the bicentennial of the birth of Simon Bolivar, hero of the independence of the Americas.

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**National Product Safety Week:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 106, to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the United States Product Safety Commission by designating the week of May 8 through May 14, 1983, as "National Product Safety Week."

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**First Budget Resolution for 1984:** Senate continued consideration of S.Con. Res. 27, revising and replacing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1983, and setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1984, 1985, and 1986, rejecting amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

(1) By 23 yeas to 75 nays, Hatch Amendment No. 1227, in the nature of a substitute.

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(2) By 16 yeas to 82 nays, Hollings Amendment No. 1229 (to Hatch Amendment No. 1227), in the nature of a substitute.

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(3) By 17 yeas to 81 nays, Specter Amendment No. 1228, to add additional funds for law enforcement and the construction of prisons.

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(4) By 13 yeas to 83 nays, Johnston Amendment No. 1230, in the nature of a substitute.

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(5) By 45 yeas to 50 nays, Baucus Amendment No. 1231, to add additional funds for Medicare.

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(6) Grassley Amendment No. 1232, in the nature of a substitute.

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